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A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act providing for the issuance of an Olympic motor vehicle
- 2 registration plate, establishing fees, and making an
- 3 appropriation.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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- 1 Section 1. Section 321.34, Code 2013, is amended by adding 2 the following new subsection:
- 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 27. Olympic plates.
- 4 a. Upon application and payment of the proper fees, the
- 5 director may issue Olympic plates to an owner of a motor
- 6 vehicle referred to in subsection 12.
- 7 b. The department, in consultation with the Iowa sports
- 8 foundation, shall design a distinguishing processed emblem for
- 9 the Olympic plates.
- 10 c. The special plate fee for letter-number designated
- 11 Olympic plates is twenty-five dollars. The fee for
- 12 personalized Olympic plates is twenty-five dollars, which shall
- 13 be paid in addition to the special plate fee of twenty-five
- 14 dollars. The fees collected by the director under this
- 15 subsection shall be paid monthly to the treasurer of state
- 16 and deposited in the road use tax fund. The treasurer of
- 17 state shall transfer monthly from the statutory allocations
- 18 fund created under section 321.145, subsection 2, to the
- 19 economic development authority the amount of the special plate
- 20 fees collected in the previous month for the Olympic plates
- 21 and such funds are appropriated to the economic development
- 22 authority for distribution to one or more statewide nonprofit
- 23 organizations authorized by the United States Olympic committee
- 24 to benefit from the use of the committee's five-ring logo
- 25 and whose primary mission is to provide sports, recreation,
- 26 health, and wellness opportunities for Iowans of all abilities.
- 27 Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys transferred under this
- 28 subsection shall not revert to the general fund of the state.
- 29 d. Upon receipt of the special registration plates, the
- 30 applicant shall surrender the current registration plates to
- 31 the county treasurer. The county treasurer shall validate
- 32 the special registration plates in the same manner as regular
- 33 registration plates are validated under this section. The
- 34 annual special plate fee for letter-number designated Olympic
- 35 plates is twenty-five dollars, which shall be paid in addition

- 1 to the regular annual registration fee. The annual fee for
- 2 personalized Olympic plates is five dollars, which shall be
- 3 paid in addition to the annual special plate fee and the
- 4 regular annual registration fee. The annual special plate fee
- 5 shall be credited and transferred as provided under paragraph
- 6 "c".
- 7 Sec. 2. Section 321.145, subsection 2, paragraph b,
- 8 subparagraph (3), Code 2013, is amended to read as follows:
- 9 (3) The amounts required to be transferred pursuant to
- 10 section 321.34 from revenues available under this subsection
- 11 shall be transferred and credited as provided in section
- 12 321.34, subsections 7, 10, 10A, 11, 11A, 11B, 13, 16, 17, 18,
- 13 19, 20, 20A, 20B, 20C, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26, and 27 for
- 14 the various purposes specified in those subsections.
- 15 EXPLANATION
- 16 This bill provides for the issuance of an Olympic motor
- 17 vehicle registration plate to be designed by the department of
- 18 transportation in consultation with the Iowa sports foundation.
- 19 The special plate fee for issuance of Olympic plates is
- 20 \$25. An applicant for personalized Olympic plates must pay
- 21 the \$5 personalized plate fee in addition to the \$25 special
- 22 plate fee. The renewal fee for Olympic plates is \$25, in
- 23 addition to the annual vehicle registration fee. For renewal
- 24 of personalized Olympic plates, a \$5 personalized plate renewal
- 25 fee applies in addition to the \$25 Olympic plate renewal fee
- 26 and the annual registration fee. All registration fees are
- 27 deposited in the road use tax fund.
- 28 The bill directs that an amount equal to \$25 from each
- 29 Olympic special plate fee and \$25 from each Olympic plate
- 30 renewal fee be transferred monthly from the statutory
- 31 allocations fund to the economic development authority. The
- 32 transferred funds are appropriated to the authority for
- 33 distribution to one or more statewide nonprofit organizations
- 34 authorized by the United States Olympic committee to benefit
- 35 from the use of the committee's five-ring logo and whose

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